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Blood Bank

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Lovells' Club Holds Annual Cleanup

The Lovells' Hook and Trigger Club held their Eighth Annual Trash Clean Up on May 5th in Lovells Township. 110 bags of cans, bottles, and etc. were collected by 70 people from the ages of 7 to 83. They covered 88 miles of the road side and found only 25 returnables. Trash bags were donated by Mrs. J. Haberland, Lovells' Hardware and M.U.C.C.

Car Give-Away Festivities on May 24th

The 3rd Annual Grayling Chamber of Commerce Car Give-Away Dinner & other Festivities have been scheduled for the evening of Thursday, May 24th at the Camp Grayling Officer's Club. Cocktails will be served at 6:30 p.m. with dinner set for 7:30 p.m. Tickets for the affair can be obtained by contacting any of the following: John Naour, Gerald Walker, Bill Kelly, Paul Thomson or Jim Bourrie.

Memorial Day Observance Plans Set

The Annual Memorial Day observance in Grayling will be Monday, May 28th at 10:00 a.m. sponsored by American Legion Post 106. All participating units will gather on County Road adjacent to the cemetery at 9:45 a.m., Parade Marshal Art Thayer announced Monday. After the program at the cemetery the participants will parade via Plum Street and Michigan Avenue to the Court House where additional services will take place. Because of the City Council's new policy regarding parades and banners on I-75 Business Loop, the parade will break up there instead of at the American Legion Hall as in the past. American Legion Post and Auxiliary members, other veterans wishing to participate; National Guard Units, Grayling Police Department and Fire Department, Girl Scouts, Boy Scouts, Little Leaguers and High School and Middle School Bands, will participate. If any other person or group wishes to take part they should contact the Parade Marshal.

Senior Citizens Dinner-Dance-May 25th

The senior citizens will host a dinner dance at St. Mary's Family Center on Friday, May 25th, beginning with a social hour from 5:30 to 6:30 P.M. A "sit down" roast beef dinner with a salad bar will be served by the St. Mary's Ladies at 6:30 p.m. followed by a short program awarding the prize to the 1979 "Favorite Senior Citizen". From 8:00 to 12:00 p.m. the Gaylord Polka Kings (who play all kinds of music) will play for your dancing pleasure. This year's theme is "Three Coins in a Fountain". The decorations will be super lovely as only Genevieve and her craft department can decorate. Carroll Wert will be on hand to take your picture in your finery. He has offered a prom special of four wallet size pictures and two 5 x 7 all in color for only \$5.00 to the seniors that evening or one picture for \$2.00. You pay when the picture is taken. This lovely evening can be yours by buying a ticket from Connie Vaughn at the Senior Citizen Center. All adults are invited regardless of age and the price is only \$7.50 a person. Final day for ticket sales is May 21st. Call 348-9314 for a reservation and we will see that you get your ticket and we get the \$7.50. No tickets sold at the door. Hope to see you all May 25th. Lora Gould

Armed Forces Day Party Set For May 19th

American Legion Post No. 106 is sponsoring an Armed Forces Day Party on Saturday, May 19th. The Post announced that music, dancing, lunch and fun will be provided with members charged \$3.00 and guests, \$5.00. Live music will be provided by "Tina". The party will begin at 8:00 p.m. at the Grayling's Legion Hall.

Marine Safety Classes May 21-25

The Crawford County Sheriff Department Marine Division will be holding Marine Safety classes at the Grayling Middle School May 21 through May 25, at 3:15 to 4:30 P.M. Anyone 12 years of age or older is eligible to attend. There is no charge for these classes. For further information, please contact the Crawford County Sheriff Department Marine Division.

CPL. Dean L. Goss
Marine Administrator

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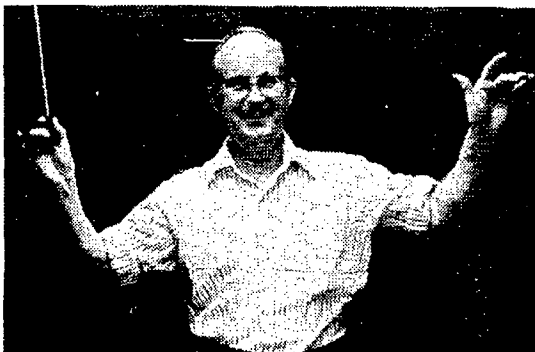


G.H.S. Students Learn About Jail System

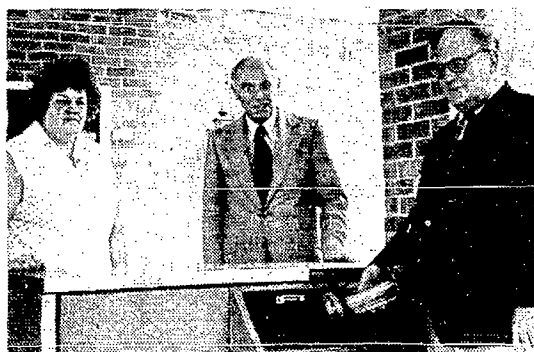
Grayling High School students in Howard Lehti's Government Class had the opportunity recently to visit the Sheriff's Dept. and learn first-hand how a jail system operates. Leading the program was Sheriff Curt Haas, shown here on the right, while a group of students attentively listened. Included on the agenda was a discussion of how a jail system functions and a tour of the facility itself. (Joe Schrader photo)

LeRoy Christian to retire after 43 years.

Long Musical and Educational Teaching Career Ends



Grayling State Bank Adds Another Customer Service



GRAYLING STATE BANK President Jack Alef displays how the new Mini-Mall Branch Auto Teller works while Ann Kurzer and William Kraus, Executive Vice-President of the bank look on. (Joe Schrader photo)

by Joe Schrader

Grayling State Bank has added another customer service at its Mini-Mall Branch facility. Bank President Jack Alef reported that an Auto Teller System has been installed there to speed up customer service.

Basically, the service permits bank transactions through a carrier rather than direct contact at a bank window. The remote banking system was designed and built by

Diebold, Inc., according to Alef.

Simply put, the service allows a customer to transact business through the use of a carrier, or canister, in which a transaction is inserted, placed back into the remote unit from which it is transported to the bank teller. After the transaction is completed, the carrier is returned to the customer. An audio arrangement is included for the convenience of the customer and bank employee involved in the transaction.

Health Department Clinics

The Health Department has scheduled its Immunization Clinic this month for May 21st. The Clinic will be held at the Health Dept. in the County Building here in Grayling. The clinic will be held from 9 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. and 1 p.m. to 3 p.m.

The Department also announced that Blood Pressure Screening is scheduled on the third Wednesday of each month from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Warning

Range firing will be conducted by units of Michigan Army and Air National Guard during the period 16-20, 22-25, 29-31 May 1979.

Small arms, demolitions, mortars, field artillery, high performance fighter aircraft, will be firing on the ranges located at Camp Grayling during this period.

The ranges will be closed during the above dates and all persons are warned to stay out of the range areas.

School Millage Proposal On Tap For Voters

by Joe Schrader

Over the next three to four weeks pursuant to the election, the Avalanche will present a series of articles regarding the up-coming school millage vote set for June 11th.

The purpose of this series of articles will be to advise the residents of the area the issues involved and provide a basis for a vote-decision. In a recent school board special meeting, the board moved to ask for a 3.25 millage increase that will boost it to 18.90 for next year's school year.

According to School Supt. Dr. William Diedrich, the citizen's committee supporting the increase, has adopted a philosophy of "providing the taxpayers with the basic facts of educational expense. The committee, under the chairmanship of Ron Fraser and Paul Thomson, said that a straight-forward, fact-presenting campaign will be conducted. "No bumper stickers, yard signs or posters will be involved," they said.

"We feel the community, when told the real facts about the operation of local schools, will recognize the real need for increased revenues," Dr. Diedrich said. "And I'm sure they'll support the school board's resolution for an increase."

This series of articles, therefore, will present information to the Crawford County residents from a number of aspects including the following:

- 1.) What the District has accomplished this past year.
- 2.) Why it needs more operating funds.
- 3.) What the increased millage will do for the system.
- 4.) What the increase will cost the average taxpayer.

In addressing accomplishments the local school system has made over the past year, Dr. Diedrich pointed out that "we've targeted in on the basic skills."

In outlining the things that have happened throughout the past year, Diedrich reviewed the following:

LMPOA To Meet Saturday, May 26

Special to the Avalanche

Environmental safeguards at the Camp Grayling parking lot addition and the effect of the Headlee Amendment on property tax assessments and millage rates will be major agenda topics at the first 1979 general membership meeting of the Lake Margrethe Property Owners Association.

The meeting will be held at 10 a.m. Saturday, May 26 in the St. Francis Episcopal Church hall. It will be preceded by a meeting of officers and complete chairmen at 9 a.m.

General membership meetings are open to the public. Officials and guests with information of interest see LMPOA on Page 11

Over spending at over 21.5% Financial Status Reviewed At Monday Meeting

by Joe Schrader

At the County Commissioner's Meeting this past Monday, County Treasurer Joe Wakeley expressed his concern over an increase in spending for the first four months of 1979 that exceeds 1978 for the same period by 21.58%. He said that the dollar increase in expenditures is an increase of \$109,501. Projecting the spending pattern through the balance of the year, Wakeley indicated to the commissioners that the county may well be in the red by from \$200,000 to \$461,000 at year-end.

A meeting to discuss the financial problem is set for this Friday between

Wakeley, County Clerk Leo Lovely and the Commission's finance Committee.

Wakeley made the following suggestions to Commission members: -Make drastic cuts in program primarily in areas

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Open House-1929-1979

The children of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Bielski request the pleasure, of your company at a reception to celebrate the 50th wedding anniversary of their parents Saturday, May 19th, 1979 between 2 and 5 p.m. at Calvary Baptist Church, M-72 West, Grayling, Michigan.



HIS BELOVED AU SABLE—Willard Bosserman was pleased to receive this painting of one of his favorite streams. The painting is by Joyce Easterly and was presented by the Crawford County Board of Commissioners whose represen-

tative, Andie Neilson stands behind Bosserman. At left is Northern Region Director John Hodge who was master of ceremonies at the Bosserman public testimonial dinner May 4. (Photo courtesy of The Houghton Lake Resorter)

The Sexually Abused Child

by Dennis C. Rau
Crawford Co. Dept.
of Social Service

Editor's Note: This is the fifth in a series of articles written on Child Abuse and Neglect.

In last weeks article we began to discuss the very complex world of the sexually abused child. In this article we are going to briefly discuss the "classic situation concerning the sexually abused child. This usually involves what we call a "triad", that being the father, daughter, and mother of a particular family.

The fathers in the sexual abuse triad are fairly well

respected by their peers before it becomes known in the community that they have been sexually involved with their daughters. The situation between the family at home usually lacks harmony. This is not to

Our Weather

(Courtesy of Chuck Fick)

May	Hi	Low	Rain
8	82	55	
9	79	59	
10	82	54	
11	75	47	.12
12	55	39	
13	63	27	.01
14	64	42	.02

suggest that the mother and father are constantly arguing with each other and disrupting the home. Usually there is a much more passive resistance of each other. Both usually having submitted to the fact that their relationship will not improve.

The wife in the sexually abused triad, is usually viewed as (the innocent victim) of the abuse situation. Sometimes, particularly if a step-father is involved, she will report the abuse and seek prosecution. If the natural

See Abused on Page 2



"THE 4th AND 5th R's was the theme presented by Grayling Elementary School students last Tuesday night when Music & Physical Education combined were presented to a public audience at the high school. Students from grades Kindergarten thru Fifth presented the show under the direction of Mrs. Peggy Emerick, Vocal Music Director and Miss Lisa Eaton, Physical Education Instructor. Shown here is Mrs. Emerick leading one of the songs. (Joe Schrader photo)

Abused

(Continued from Page 1)

father is involved she usually becomes very protective of the suspected abuser and if the sexual abuse is not denied, projects all the blame on the daughter. Given a choice of who is to remain in the home, the daughter or the husband, the wife will invariably select the husband. Many times it is found that the mother was very much aware of some kind of wrong-doing. However, she felt so insecure in her relationship with her husband that she was not able to intervene in the situation and to bring about any change. In fact many times she will make it easier for the father to have sexual relations with the daughter by adjusting her time so that the father and the child are alone together.

The daughters involve-

Kirtland
Commencement
Speaker



Kirtland Comm. College announced recently that Mr. David Primuth, President of the Wickes Corporation, will be the commencement speaker at the college's 10th graduation ceremony to be held on Friday, May 25th. The ceremony is scheduled for 7:30 p.m. in the College Auditorium.

Primuth joined Wickes Corporation as Vice-President and Controller in February, 1971, and was named President in November of 1978.

A native of Racine, Wisconsin, he received his bachelor's degree from Wheaton College, majoring in accounting, and his master's degree from Marquette University.

ment in the triad is that at a fairly early age the father begins to play with sexual overtones with his daughter. The play progresses over a period of years, and this is an important point. The abuse did not develop overnight. Instances of fathers attacking daughters sexually without prior involvement are extremely rare. Often the father and daughter have been engaging in various forms of sexual behavior over the years. They may begin by sleeping together; then the daughter is asked to fondle the father's penis or masturbate him. As the daughter matures he may fondle her genitals; and finally there is intercourse.

They will usually know that the father's behavior is wrong. Her father's warning not to tell anyone implies wrongdoing. Even if she has not been warned, she does not tell her friends or playmates. Many times the daughter will tell or attempt to tell the mother by hinting at what is transpiring, but these signals are ignored for the most part. Many times an older daughter will continue to have sexual relations with her father to protect the younger sisters from the father. However, when the older daughter leaves the home invariably the father will begin to have sexual relations with the younger sisters.

The questions that usually arise about this situation is why does the father select the child instead of going elsewhere for sexual gratification? The answer being that the father is so dissatisfied with his relationship with his wife, not only the sexual relationship, that the best way he knows to punish his wife for these inadequacies is to abuse her own child.

If you have any further questions about this area, please do not hesitate to contact me in whatever way is comfortable for you. Next week we will discuss how a sexual abuse complaint is handled in Crawford County, including involvement of the courts, law enforcement agencies, and children's protective services.

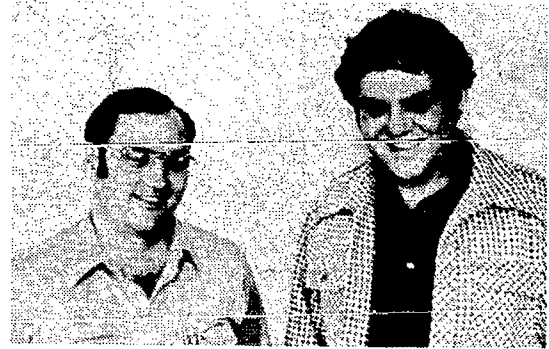
Beaver Creek Notice

The Beaver Creek Township regular monthly meeting has been changed to Friday, June 15, 1979 at 7:00 p.m.

"To Keep Crawford County on the Move"

Ron Fraser & Paul Thomson Named School Millage Co-Chairmen

by Joe Schrader



A CAMPAIGN TO LEAD A SCHOOL MILLAGE PROPOSAL will be led this year by Ron Fraser (left) and Paul Thomson, who accepted co-chairmanship for this year's educational effort. (Joe Schrader photo)

"Some 25 years ago somebody offered me the opportunity to get an education—now it's my turn to help out." That statement by Ron Fraser pretty much summarized the motive he expresses for accepting co-chairmanship of the campaign for passage of this year's school millage proposal.

Dr. William Diedrich, School Superintendent, announced last week that Fraser and Paul Thomson have agreed to work together in a campaign entitled "Keep Crawford County on the Move", one designed to convey information to local residents that the millage increase being asked this year is necessary to provide a continuing quality educational level for area students.

"I agreed to participate not only for selfish reasons," Thomson stated, "but because I'm convinced that a quality educational program here in Crawford County will contribute to the continued growth of the area. We have an unoccupied building in town (referring to the Bear Archery complex), that could well be occupied if we can demonstrate, among other things, that Grayling has a positive forward-moving educational system."

Thomson and Fraser, combined with the efforts of Supt. Diedrich, will be working hard over the next few days seeking volunteer assistance in the campaign to see that the millage is passed so that a continuing quality educational program is provided for Crawford County students.

According to campaign officials, no "hard-sell" programs will be involved this year—the voters will be presented the basic facts upon which final electoral decisions must be reached. "We'll have no bumper sticker or poster campaign," Diedrich said. "It's simply an inflationary necessity," Thomson concluded, "we need the millage increase to continue the quality education our area youth are now enjoying."

Christian

(Continued from Page 1) Middle School students have passed through his educational and musical tutelage. In addition to his musical prowess, Mr. Christian teaches Geography and Social Studies at the school. He has also taught History for a number of years throughout his educational career.

According to Middle School Principal Dale Nicholas, a special Retirement Party is planned for next Tuesday, May 22nd at the American Legion Hall. Christian was honored for his contribution to student education by the Alumni Association and was specially recognized during a half-time football celebration last fall.

Many of Christian's former students—including local Middle School teacher Tom St. Germain, are instructors throughout the state of Michigan.

Leroy & his lovely wife Loretta have four children, Jackie Sabon, living in Detroit; Linda Thomson, teaching in Texas; Patricia Shaffer in Rockwood, Michigan; and Paul, living at home and working here for the Dept. of Natural Resources.

It'll be a long time down the road before the likes of another Mr. Christian comes along, but he's earned his just do...it took a long 43 years but he's earned his retirement "lesson".

Real Outdoorsman

Down the street there's a real outdoorsman. He commented last week that all he wants is "golf, the great outdoors and a beautiful girl." Then, he added, "and you can keep the golf and the great outdoors."

Chamber Board Hears Report On Guard Helicopter Training

The Grayling Regional Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors held their meeting last Friday at the Holiday Inn and a long with regular business had on the agenda Maj. Lawrence Mayhew and Capt. Joe Meredith of the Michigan Army National Guard who presented a short film on the new training of Helicopters that is taking place here at the present, with a question and answer period following.

In regular business, a report on the Las Vegas night was given showing a \$213 profit for the evening, however, it was stated that due to the Easter weekend, may had in part some of the lack of participation. It was also reported that Grayling's float won first place (winner of the President's Cup) at the Kalkaska Trout Festival.

The following is a release from Camp Grayling and through Col. J.R. Lippert, Commander, explaining in-depth the training of the Helicopters.

Changes in "Army" tactical training since the Viet Nam war have necessitated new flight techniques in helicopter training at Camp Grayling.

One new program called Nap-of-the-Earth (NOE) flying requires that the ships follow the valleys and draws of the earth as close as possible. The reason for NOE is to allow helicopters to survive in high intensity combat and radar environment by keeping land masses (hills) between the aircraft and heat seeking missiles.

Camp headquarters is

informing the public by this information program because some of the helicopters may stray out from the designated NOE courses laid out over military property. Flights beyond the designated routes can occur because this very low altitude flying makes navigation much more difficult for the pilot. Camp officials consider it important that the public be informed in case an accidental overflight does occur over private property.

The new flight techniques were started about two years ago. Prior to that time the ships flew at an altitude of 1,500 feet on training missions.

Capt. Meredith, Camp Grayling aviation officer, states that in 1972 during operations in Laos, the Army helicopters received unusual high losses because the communists used radar and were able to track the craft at the higher altitudes. They would use this same defense to kill us in a European war. In addition, he said that flying behind an earth mass such as a hill prevents heat seeking missiles from reaching the ships. They noted that if a heat seeking missile is not able to lock-on and track a helicopter it is harmless to the ship. Thus a ship flying behind trees, hillsides and in valleys never permits the enemy to lock-in on their anti-aircraft missiles.

Camp officials noted that there are six NOE courses that the helicopters use in their training program throughout the military reservation. Three are located north of Grayling just East of I-75 and three are spotted in the area south and west of Lake Margrethe.

Officials commented that the areas of flight are difficult to define because in following the land contours, the ships fly back and forth over main road landmarks.

In summing up the new training flights and the possibility of straying over private land, Brg. Gen. Arthur N. Phillips, Assistant Adjutant General (Army), had the following to say about the low altitude. "All of the NOE routes are on military land and avoid private properties as much as possible. It is conceivable however, that at 80 knots, at treetop level, a helicopter pilot could become disoriented and stray from the NOE course. If this occurs, let me strongly assure everyone, it is a navigational error and not one of intent. Our pilots are too professional and take their aviation training too seriously to indulge in illegal flight or "dive bombing" of private property."

Nurses To Meet

The North Central District Nurses Association will hold their annual business meeting Thursday, May 24, 1979 at the Holiday Inn, Grayling.

Dinner will be at 6:30 p.m. with the meeting to follow at 7:30 p.m. All registered Nurses are invited to attend.

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From Our Corner ...

How about that folks...we went one whole week without any snow...a little rain...but no snow...possibly now we can put away the snow shovels, take off the longjohns, and look toward those days when people will be saying, krumps, I wish it would cool off a bit...

To answer a question we received the other day of how come we put those funny things between most of the paragraphs in our column each week...for one thing we have so much space we have to fill up...and every little bit helps to extend our corner...there are nights we wish we could put them between each line...such as tonight.

We might just as well get this out of the way before someone calls to ask...grandma had Toni, T.J. and Stef over for Mother's Day...and guess what...they will be spending a few more days with us as the little ones dad will be working out at Skyline...they even brought their pony, Charcoal for the stay.

Rene Fortier, owner of Lovells Riverside Tavern, and chairman this year of the 1st annual Mushroom hunt was in the office Monday afternoon and reported a successful day. He stated there was a good turnout for the first year, and they learned a few things to make next year's event even better.

Anyone who happens to read our corner before the front page, and also before 3:00 p.m. Wednesday...we wish to direct your attention of the Red Cross Blood Bank being held at the high school from 9:00 until 3:00...everyone is invited to give...

We attended the Grayling Regional Chamber of Commerce board meeting last week and listened to a presentation by Maj. L.J. Mayhew and Capt. Joe Meredith on the training of the Helicopters in our area. They had a short video-tape showing the different 'Copters Meredith informed the group that other films are available, and they would be most happy to attend a group or organization meetings interested in them. Those interested may contact Capt. Meredith at Camp Grayling.

He who seeks, shall receive...so the saying goes...the ol' fella in the past week has proved the point...first we remarked how we like smelt...we received, as you read last week...our next remark was how well we liked the morale mushroom, but just didn't get out to hunt for them, other in our back yard...would you believe last Thursday night we indulged in a bountiful helping of mushrooms through the courtesy of Orlo Galvani...just in case you wonder how come we are so fortunate...Marty's wife Bobbie and Orlo's wife Alice toil for us in the front office...

We are just about reaching the end of our rope for this week's endeavor, so we will call it quits before someone takes that rope literally, and tries to use it on this young fella...
Have a nice weekend...summer has to be here...take advantage it doesn't last that long...

DID YOU KNOW? By Larvia

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"LIGHT-HORSE HARRY" LEE

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Interesting Events In Grayling 23 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE FILES OF THE AVALANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO.

23 Years Ago
May 17, 1956

Another landmark reminiscent of logging and wood producing past of Grayling is leaving the local scene. The towering smokestack at the "flooring mill," the Atlas Plywood Corp. plant on Grayling's southside is being taken down to be shipped to the Corporation's plant at Gladstone.

Every father believes in heredity until his kids start acting like fools.

Mrs. Tony Buron was happy to receive a phone call from her sister and family in Port Huron, May 5th, wishing Mrs. Buron a happy birthday. She and her sister share the same birthday.

Donald Jansen made a trip to Caro on Business last Friday. He was joined by his family in Saginaw on Saturday, where they visited Mrs. Jansen's parents, the William Horns. The Horns had been guests of the Jansens here two weeks ago, and during their stay the two ladies made a trip to Cadillac on May 1st.

Mr. and Mrs. Les Hunter spent last Thursday in Traverse City, he to attend a committee meeting of the Northern Michigan Milk Dealers' Association.

Dale Rohde and Clare Madsen Jr., placed second in the Bear River canoe race Sunday, May 13th between Walloon Lake and Petoskey.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Smith and children Terry and Kim enjoyed Mother's Day dinner with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Smith, in Mancelona.

Mr. and Mrs. John Brady spent Mothers day weekend in Detroit with their various families.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lovely drove to Flint Friday and were accompanied home by their daughter, Miss Jean who spent the weekend here.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim McClain are now living at the F.J. McClain home at Lake Margrethe. Weekend guests there were Mr. and Mrs. Jack McClain and two children of Grand Rapids.

Mrs. Henry Meech and daughter Miss Amber spent a few days in Battle Creek visiting relatives last week.

Mrs. Lester Whipple has sold her home at 503 Ingham Street to Mr. and Mrs. Everett Jones of Bay City who plan to move on May 19th. Mr. Jones is employed at the Bear Archery Co.

Mrs. Emma Lovely returned home Friday a week ago after spending a month with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. William Wilson in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Kurt Ker-setne and daughter of Wyandotte opened the trout season as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Kolka. Mrs. Kolka and daughter Lynn drove back with them and spent several days in Wyandotte, and in Melvindale visiting her grandmother, Mrs. William Fox. Jim joined his family and all returned home the next Sunday.

46 Years Ago
May 18, 1933

Mrs. David Kniff is entertaining St. Mary's Altar society this afternoon down at Camp Swastika on the AuSable.

Miss Betty Welsh, who is attending school at Alma College, spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Welsh.

Miss Agda Johnson who is attending school at Big Rapids is home visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Algot Johnson.

Dr. and Mrs. C.G. Clippert, Billyann and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Webb visited the Webb farm near Mt.

Pleasant Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Gorman and family spent Sunday in Boyne City visiting Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Schneider.

John Brady and daughter, Anne accompanied by Misses Lillian Jordan, Iria Wirtanen, Lucille Larson and Florence Kellogg drove to East Jordan Sunday and spent the day.

Holger Hanson of Ypsilanti has been spending a few days here.

The dwelling at the intersection of US-27 and the lake highway is being razed. The property is owned by Mrs. Peter Smith.

Lorane Sparkes has rented the old bank building and has moved his insurance business there from the Shoppenagons building. Mr. Cassidy finds he will need that part of the building occupied by Mr. Sparkes.

Last Sunday Grayling baseball team went to Lovells and took that team into camp to the tune of 8 to 2. Winterlee and Brady were the battery for Grayling and John Kellogg did the throwing for Lovells.

Mr. and Mrs. A.J. Trudeau made a trip to Detroit and Ferndale, first of the week. Returning they were accompanied by Mr. Trudeau's mother of Ferndale, who will spend a couple of weeks in Grayling visiting relatives and friends.

69 Years Ago
May 19, 1910

The whistle of the band mill has been silent for a few days, while repairs were being made in the mill, but toots its welcome call to the workmen.

Abe Joseph has been home a few days with his family and friends and has decided to change from his clerkship in Detroit to a position of salesman for a wholesale clothing house.

A lady friend of our household brought in a string of trout for our Monday dinner. She did not catch them, so we imagine "He" got up early that morning for they were delightfully fresh.

Next Monday evening will be exhibited all over North America, one of the most perfect and total eclipses of the moon ever witnessed by this generation.

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From Calvary Baptist Church

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The pastor of a Baptist Church has a number of biblical responsibilities. His work is described by five different words: 1) As an Elder, he is to be an executive head of the church under Christ, 1 Tim 5:17; 1 Pet 5:1 & Acts 15. His work involves moderator of the local church, Chairman of the Deacons and ex-official member of all boards and committees in the local church. A pastor "rules" as a servant, and never as "lords over God's heritage". 1 Pet 5:2, 3, 1 Tim 3:1-7 and Heb 13:7, 13.

2) As a Bishop the pastor is given the spiritual oversight of the church. The word Bishop means "overseer". To fulfill this responsibility the pastor must visit and seek to help those who have spiritual needs within the church. Personal counseling is another word of the Bishop.

3) As a Shepherd the pastor is given the spiritual responsibility to feed and protect the church. 1 Pet 5:2. The pastor feeds the church by giving them the truth of God's Word. He protects the church by making them aware of heresy and false teachers.

4) The pastor is also known as a Preacher, 1 Tim 2:7; Psm 40:7-10 and 11 Tim 1:11.

5) Finally, he is known as a Teacher, Romans 2:20, 1 Cor 12:28 and Eph 4:11.

The Deacons in a Baptist church have a number of responsibilities. The word Deacon (diakonos) is from the word

(diakonos) which means "to be an attendant or servant". This term could also be applied to the Pastor as well as the Deacons as pertaining to service. Deacons were first appointed to "serve tables" or help carry out more of the secular type work in the church. Acts 6.

In Calvary Baptist Church the Deacons are responsible to make recommendation to the church concerning all major matters of business or policy. They are to assist the Pastor in examining candidates for church membership; administering the ordinances of baptism and the Lord's supper; the spiritual oversight of the church; providing ushers to serve at all church meetings; have charge with the pastor of all matters of church discipline; security of church buildings; and provide the membership for the Christian school council. The Deacons also perform all the duties of Trustees concerning church property.

Regular term Deacons include: Mark Dandy, Ted McEvers, Larry Moffatt and Phil Townley. Deacons with additional specific jobs include: David Englund as Sunday School Superintendent and Vice-chairman of the Deacons; Carl Englund as Treasurer and Norm Lavrack as Clerk.

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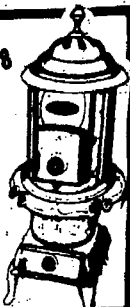
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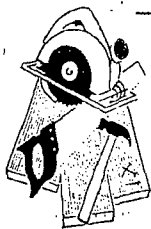
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An interesting program is being planned, and the new officers will be installed at this meeting.

All members are urged to attend, and guests are welcome. Lunch will be served.

Frances Olsen
Publicity Chairperson

CARD OF THANKS

I would like to express my thanks to Dr. Blaha and Dr. Rosi also to the nurses and staff for the care given me while I was a patient at the hospital. Also, thanks to my many friends for their visits, flowers, gifts and get well wishes.

Olga Nielsen

The Avalanche-Your
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Viking Baseball Squad Launches 25-Game Schedule



THE VIKING VARSITY SQUAD includes front row (left to right), Jake Helsel, Bill Lucksted, Chuck Kent, Coach Hayes, Mark Kibbe, Drake McClelland and Kevin Bowden. Middle row (left to right), Perry D'Amour, Dave Schreiber, Ken Helsel, JV Coach Fred Wolcott, Jerry Lucksted, Billy Roach and Bill Savallisch. Back Row (left to right), Dale Metzger, George Bindschatel, Kent LaMotte and Joe Wieland.



JV COACH Fred Wolcott announced that his team consists of the following members pictured here: Front row (left to right), John O'Mara, Brad Trenary, Scott Hale, Kevin Murphy, Dan Lucksted, Todd Golinick, Ted Methner and Scott Hamlin. Middle row (left to right), Don Bancroft, Justin Case, Rich Schreiber, Jamie Radebaugh, David Burr, Pat Hickey, Scott Zigala and Ray Priebe. Back Row (left to right), JV Head Coach Fred Wolcott, Craig Collen, Jeff Stampfly, Kevin LaMotte, Jay Schrader, John Junttila, Phil Sabon, Don Seffels and Maurice Alma. (Joe Schrader photos)

by Joe Schrader

Grayling Baseball Varsity Head Coach Warren "Butch" Hayes recently announced the makeup of his 1979 varsity squad, consisting of 17 players. Included on the team are nine seniors, seven juniors and one sophomore.

The nine seniors include returning lettermen Jake Helsel, Kevin Bowden, Dale Metzger, Dave Schreiber, Tim Bitner and Drake McClelland. Three new seniors are included on the roster, Joe Wieland, Kent LaMotte and a transfer student, Bill Savallisch.

This year's team is carrying seven juniors, four who saw action last year. They are Perry D'Amour, Mark Kibbe, George Bindschatel and Jerry Lucksted. Rounding out the junior members of the team are Ken Helsel, Bill Lucksted and transfer student Chuck Kent. The only sophomore on the team this year is Billy Roach.

A 25-game schedule has been set for this year, including 12 conference games with the balance non-conference contests. All are double-headers. The Vikes will compete in District action at Gaylord this year on June 2nd.

Public Announcement

The District No. 1 and Tri-County Health Departments, Substance Abuse Coordinating Agency announces the posting of its 1978/79 Comprehensive Service/Provider Plan covering the counties of Wexford, Grand Traverse, Benzie, Crawford, Kalkaska, Leelanau and Missaukee.

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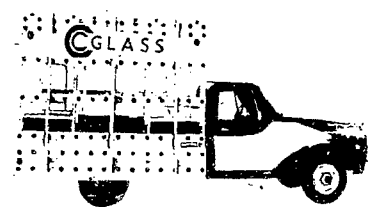
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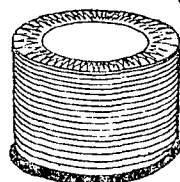
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Ah, New York: Some tableau!

RICHARD MILLIMAN

There's nothing like a trip to New York City to sweep the cobwebs out of the small-town mind and to underline the many values of back home.

The occasion for the New York visit was the annual convention of the American Newspaper Publishers Association, which is composed of some 1800 publishers of daily newspapers throughout the country, from the New York Times and Washington Post on down the line. Only a few weekly publishers are members; sometimes I wonder how I got in.

The ANPA convention was a fine gathering, highlighted by the appearance of President Jimmy Carter. He gave a dull but important speech about a dull but important topic—the SALT treaty. Mr. Carter entered the room to the strains of Hail to the Chief, gave his talk, waved goodbye and left, no visiting, no socializing, no fooling around. Then the rest of us had lunch. My seat was as far away from the President as you could get and still stay in the same ballroom. At least, I guess it was the President; I couldn't be sure from sight. And so much for my visit with Jimmy Carter.

The rest of the convention was livelier. And a President Allen Neuharth set the tone in his keynote: "We must rededicate ourselves to rescuing and upholding and defending the First Amendment, and to making it mean what it says, from the first word to the last, for all Americans."

Reproductions of the First Amendment were everywhere around the convention—as backdrops for the panels and speeches, on the programs and booklets, and most definitely on the minds of the delegates.

Several speakers, including Neuharth, addressed the latest Supreme Court decision, allowing litigants in libel cases to inquire about the thought processes of reporters and editors. "Rummaging through the minds of newspaper people," is what Neuharth called it, warning of its dangers.

Personally, I can't get too excited about the decision; it seems to me if the reporter intended harassment and malice as he prepared the story, he should be called to account for it. I do share, however, the general newsroom apprehensions about possible misuse of such "rummaging" by public figures who think they were libeled. It seems to me a leveling off process will evolve.

Other speakers included Walter Cronkite and Barbara Walters, who attracted the most attention; it seemed strange to an old pencil newspaperman like me that two individuals who thrive on the electronic medium were such headliners, but they were. Both Cronkite and Walters used to be newspaper people; how famous would they have become as pad-and-pencil newsmen? Not very, I would guess.

Then there were some newsmakers. Chicago Mayor Jane Byrne was impressive; she obviously knows what it's all about and has a lot on the ball; I think she'll make a good mayor. Pennsylvania Gov. William Thornburgh talked of groping with the Three Mile Island nuclear crisis; it became clear there is much to be learned, by the public officials, about this newest of domestic problems. The UAW's Irving Bluestone and DuPont President Irving Shapiro discussed the economy; it was surprising they agreed on so many points; perhaps the reason the economy is such a problem is that it isn't appealing...it's tough to understand...like SALT, it's important, but dull.

For me, the star of the ANPA convention was New York itself. I hadn't been there since the World's Fair in 1964, and you tend to forget over that length of time. Of course, New York changes in 15 years, and so do I.

It's another world, completely. Fifth Avenue at noon was as crowded with foot traffic as the stadium area after a University of Michigan football game. Street traffic was bumper-to-bumper at almost all hours—cabs and busses and big cars. New York cab drivers are everything their stereotype claims. On Manhattan, there must be dozens of differing environments, living cheek-by-jowl, from the impoverished to the privileged, with little geographic or social transition.

Times Square seems to be the seedy spot it was made out to be in popular notion, and it houses beautiful and significant theater productions within earshot of the sex and sin shows. What a tableau!

Yet, we walked the streets of New York, without incident and—after a few times—without much trepidation. The constant foot traffic, even in the late after-theater hours, was a bit of a surprise.

Ah, New York. It's been 15 years since my last visit. That's just about the right schedule.



The best things we did this year are build a big tee pee and drums and learn an Indian dance. Our first outing was climbing the mountain to the Guard Cemetery. We used safety ropes like real mountain climbers, but it didn't work out so good. We had a flag ceremony at the grave. Everyone liked our swimming party at the Roost pool and roller skating at Houghton Lake. We learned ice fishing rules and how to use the equipment and went ice fishing. It sure was cold and we didn't have enough time, but we got 1 pike. This year we worked with tools and made gifts for our Mom's and Dad's. We made space helmets and put on a show for the pack. For the Blue-Gold Banquet we made jelly bean candle holders that were given for prizes at the end of the dinner. We learned invisible writing and tricks and then dressed up in a cape and hat and put on a magic show. We made a paper mache pinyatta. Boy, was that a mess, but fun. Our cook-out turned out to be a cook-in. We made pocket stew, beans, biscuits and punch. Mrs. Golic was our guest. Our community service project was taking toys and books to the children's ward of our hospital. At the cake bake, David Myers won a ribbon. At the Pinewood Derby, Mike Burkley won 1st for boys and Mr. Wolcott won for Dad's. 3 of our boys went to Day Camp clean-up and 8 are planning to go to Summer Camp in July.

—By Barrett Bartelli and Joey LaGrov

"John Brown The Abolitionist by Jacob Lawrence" Set For Kirtland Community College

Guilty of treason and murder in the first degree." Such was the fate of that fiery, controversial abolitionist John Brown.

Insight into the life of Brown can be gained when the Detroit Institute of Arts brings the exhibition "John Brown the Abolitionist by Jacob Lawrence" to Kirtland Community College, Roscommon, May 18 through July 8. The seven week event is part of Michigan's "Show on the Road" program.

The original John Brown gouaches by contemporary black artist Jacob Lawrence are included in the Museum's permanent collection. They are unique because they depict the abolitionist's story in serial form with strong, colorful images. The screenprints in the exhibition boldly illustrate Brown's 40 years of reflection on the hopeless condition of the slaves, his efforts to raise money for anti-slavery activities, the ill-fated march on Harpers Ferry and Brown's eventual death by hanging in Charles Town, Virginia. Writers, musicians and artists have found Brown's anti-slavery exploits an inspiration for decades.

The "Show on the Road" portfolio also includes an excellent poem on John Brown by Detroit poet Robert Hayden, a black poet who has just completed a two-year term as consultant in poetry to the

Library of Congress.

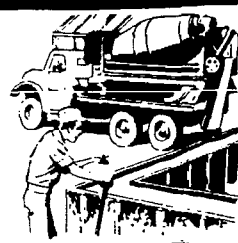
Stuart Lawrence, Director of the Kirtland Community College Library, says the John Brown series will be open Monday through Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Lawrence also notes special evening hours, 7:00 p.m. to 9:30 p.m., each Tuesday and Thursday. Sunday viewing times will be 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. during the exhibition. There is no charge for admission.

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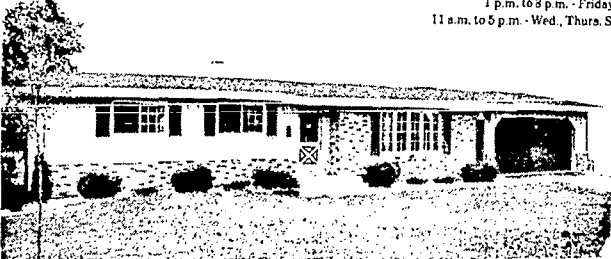
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Among those items offered up for auction will be a leaded glass door, an oak buffet, a radio-stereo console, several kitchen stoves and appliances, end and coffee tables, valuable items, including some antiques.

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from our reading book, "May I Come In?" Karen was the
narrator, Tonia was the troll, Mary Beth was the little
billy goat, Nikki was big billy goat, and Hannah was big,
big billy goat. Nancy Duke, our high school student,
helped us practice our play. All the children liked the
play.

Written by Hannah Peterson, Tonia Parrish, Mary
Beth Boone, Karen Baker, Nikki Laundre from Mrs.
Yost's first grade.

Pictured from left to right are Karen Baker, Tonia
Parrish, Hannah Peterson, Nikki Laundre, and Mary
Beth Boone. (Fay Bovee Photo)



OPENING PARTY—The Grayling Country Club is
now in full swing after the symbolic opening party on
Saturday evening, May 12, 1979. As guests arrived at the
club Saturday evening they were ushered from winter in-
to summer through a garden trellis to be greeted by a
huge sun over the fireplace. The "Sun Shone In" with the
help of pots of begonias on the tables which the guests
took with them at the end of the evening, branches of
spring shrubs, and several small trees. To add a touch of
whimsy, the branches were tied with miniature bows and
bright yellow balloons were everywhere.

A delicious buffet dinner at 7:30 followed the cocktail
hour attended by 80 people. The roast beef dinner was
capably prepared and served by the staff of Hudson's
Prime Beef and was enjoyed by everyone.

Dancing to the music of the C.J. Disco, Cal Walls,
ended the evening with sounds of the 40's, 50's, and 60's
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Shown enjoying the party that they hosted are Brad
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elusive morels will be
available at the Chamber

Building, sauteed in but-
ter, plus coffee, tea and
cookies. A display of wild-
flower arrangements will
also be there.

Cash prizes will be given
for the greatest quantity of
morels brought in at one
time, and for the largest.
Contests will close at 4:00
p.m. when judging of the
events begin.

The participating agen-
cies welcome all area
residents & visitors to join
in a fun-filled day of Morel-
Mushroom Hunting.

Bits O'Talk

by Fay Bovee

Mr. and Mrs. John Libke have
returned to their home after four
months in N. Palm Beach,
Florida. John says he played a lot
of golf this winter.

Good weather (we have had
some beautiful weather) always
brings out the do-it-yourselfers to
improve the looks of their homes.
The Bob Ruddy home is getting a
new fence. We've heard plenty of
hammering at the former Fran-
cois' and hear that something in-
teresting will soon appear there.

It looks as though the city crew
are planting trees again, this time
in the north end of the city where
the new curbs have been put in.

Bob Bovee and his brother,
Keith Bovee, of Muskegon, spent
from Tuesday to Saturday in
Pacific Grove, Cal. where they
were called due to the serious
illness of their father, Don Bovee.

Mr. and Mrs. Walt Nowak have
purchased and moved into the
former John Lindendoll home in
the subdivision north of the
County Road.

Par For The Course

by Fay Bovee

In the "Sunday morning
league" this past weekend,
Vern Cavitch thrilled the
golfers while they watched
him shoot a 69, the first
round, 33, and the second
round, 36. Not only that,
he won the 'skins' for every
hole-in-hand out now, Vern,
they'll be out for revenge.

Another item brought to
my attention were the trees
that have been downed on
number 8 by some beaver.
This seems to be a first as
far as any one can remem-
ber.

With the recent rains and
Tom's different fertilizer,
the course is getting into
beautiful shape.

The men's leagues started
last Tuesday and Wed-
nesday, the Wednesday
Women's League will start
on May 16 with Scrambles,
the Monday Women's
League will start on May
21, and the mixed league is
being finalized with 28
couples signed up.
Drawings for your number
in the couple's league will
be available at the club
very soon and play will
start on June 7.

Most of the leagues are
going to the new com-
puterized handicap system
which has been arranged
for by men's league
secretary, Gary McLaugh-
lin. Anyone who is a mem-
ber of the club may contact
Gary if you wish to sign up
for it. Unless you are a
member of a league that
has already contracted to
pay the fee, you may pay
for it as an individual.

YOUR WEEK AHEAD By DAMIS

Forecast Period - May 18 to May 24

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| ARIES
Mar. 21-Apr. 19 | Be prepared to cope with a pleasant change in relationships with close kin, or in the neighborhood. |
| TAURUS
Apr. 20-May 20 | Read the fine print before accepting an offer to make a few easy dollars. |
| GEMINI
May 21-June 20 | Put that nervous energy to work for you... not against you. Tend to routine matters. |
| MOONCHILD
June 21-July 22 | Retreat from the main stream for a little regeneration. There is one who would appreciate your helping hand. |
| LEO
July 23-Aug. 22 | Social activities are very enjoyable. Successful outgoing persons will be in your surroundings. |
| VIRGO
Aug. 23-Sept. 22 | An emotional experience seems likely where career matters are involved. Past efforts are recognized. |
| LIBRA
Sept. 23-Oct. 22 | Contact with one who has left your immediate circle inspires thoughts of a change in your own life style. |
| SCORPIO
Oct. 23-Nov. 21 | Mutual funds or shared resources are in the picture. Be sure your thinking is clear. |
| SAGITTARIUS
Nov. 22-Dec. 21 | A partnership proposal starts the windmills of your mind. Listen to some of the good advice being offered. |
| CAPRICORN
Dec. 22-Jan. 19 | Put your mind at ease by eliminating the pesky "ifs". Mental ease chases physical disease. |
| AQUARIUS
Jan. 20-Feb. 18 | Take time to work with the young ones. Encourage development of their skills. Everyone benefits. |
| PISCES
Feb. 19-Mar. 20 | Changing attitudes in the home become evident. Property values take on new meaning. |

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Crawford County Housing Commission

Grayling State Bank
April 5, 1979—9:00 A.M.

Members present: Evelyn Gardiner, William Ellingboe, Gordon

Thompson, Bernard Hinkle
Others present: Matt Bidvia, Jan Cornell, Mary Kesteloot, Wendy Hinkle, Mr. and Mrs. Weatherly, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph, Jerry Morford, Al Schreiner.

The meeting was called to order by Acting Chairman, Gordon Thompson, followed with roll call.

Note: Mrs. Gardiner asked that the Minutes of the meeting be sent to her home.

Approval of Minutes from March 1, 1979:

Motion made by Thompson, supported by Ellingboe, to approve the Minutes from the March 1, 1979 meeting as printed; carried. All Aye.

The Commission was addressed by applicants who were inquiring into the progress of their project. They wanted concerned one item, and what is required by the Housing Commission criteria must address the total possible rehabilitation. Since they did not want to include all items, they were advised of two other programs that might offer assistance to them.

The Commission was addressed by applicants seeking information on replacement housing. They were informed that the Housing Commission is in the process of establishing policy in this area; and they will be informed when progress is possible.

Mr. Morford addressed the Commission regarding a half-lot the Commission owns. He suggested it would be to the advantage of the City to have this purchased by the home-owner who would benefit. The Director was instructed to offer the half-lot to the property owners.

Mr. Morford thanked the Commission for, and requested continuing cooperation in effecting the enforcement of City ordinances. Matters concerning monies granted to the City by the Department of Housing and Urban Development were clarified.

Application Review:

Six applications were reviewed and put to bid. These would result in a total expenditure of approximately \$72,000.00 when complete.

One application was shelved pending investigation into County ordinances regarding litter.

March Bids:

Two bids were awarded to Superior Construction; one bid to A.R. Hutchinson; one bid to Beckett Contracting, Inc.

Replacement Housing:

Kesteloot noted that Jan Cornell had received word a short time ago, that the County's request for modification of the 2nd year funding to be used County-wide, had been approved. Our greatest need for replacement housing is in the County rather than the City itself or the previous "target areas". Ms. Cornell asked the Commission to wait until she could talk to Detroit to see if there is a way to simplify this whole process.

An applicant had approached the Commission to purchase their home. This request was denied because the rehabilitation of this structure would extend the life of the non-conforming half-lot.

One project in progress was reported on.

One completed project has two addendum items. These were approved and motion made and carried to pay this bill.

Kesteloot noted that the present term of Gordon Thompson as member of the Crawford County Housing Commission expires April 15, 1979. Thompson was in agreement with the following motion.

Motion made by Hinkle, supported by Gardiner, to address the Crawford County Board of Commissioners to reappoint Gordon Thompson as a member of the Crawford County Housing Commission with his term to expire April 15, 1984; Carried. All Ayes.

Jan Cornell addressed the Commission referencing Mary Kesteloot and Lee Crull being asked by N.E.M.S.C.A. on occasion to assist other counties in setting up their housing programs. She suggested that the Housing Commission set up a policy whereas N.E.M.S.C.A. would reimburse the County for Mary's time when she is asked for consultation in another County. Since Lee is on an inspection fee basis rather than on salary, he would be paid on an individual inspection basis. Reimbursement for Mary's time would be as follows: during regular working hours, N.E.M.S.C.A. would pay regular hourly rate; if an evening consultation is required, the rate of compensation would be hourly rate plus expenses. Expenses to include mileage and meals, if necessary. Reimbursement to Lee Crull would also be through the County from N.E.M.S.C.A.: to include the \$100.00 fee each per complete inspection; or \$50.00 per pre-inspection; also mileage and meals, if necessary.

Adjournment:

Motion made by Gardiner, supported by Hinkle to adjourn the meeting at 11:45 a.m.; until May 2, 1979 at 9:00 a.m.; Carried. All Ayes.

Mary Kesteloot
Acting Secretary-Director

Road Commission Minutes

April 27, 1979

A regular meeting of the Crawford County Road Commission held in their office in Grayling, Chairman Richter presiding. Present were Chairman Ervin Richter, Commissioners Grover Cason and Gloria Kraus, Manager Charles Fox and Engineer Ron Herne. Also present was Lorna Bernard, Secretary. Absent, none.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read. Grover Cason made a motion to accept the minutes as corrected, seconded by Ervin Richter. All voted in favor, minutes approved.

Voucher No. 292 for Payroll No. 9 in the amount of \$22342.24 was presented for approval. Motion made by Gloria Kraus, supported by Grover Cason to approve the Voucher, motion carried.

Ervin Richter reported on the County Road Association Board of Directors meeting April 25, in Lansing. The report was on budgets. Ervin Richter, Gloria Kraus and Manager Fox reported on the Vacationland meeting held in Gladwin on April 26. Safer off systems funding, railroad crossings and Chauffeurs' License requirements were discussed at this meeting.

Dean Welch of Frederic Township appeared before the Board to discuss the standard Specifications for subdivision streets in Crawford County. The Board discussed the written specifications with Mr. Welch who requested permission to eliminate paving the cul-de-sac at the end of a public road. The request was denied.

A motion was made by Ervin Richter, supported by Gloria Kraus to close the door, motion carried. The Board and Attorney Douglas Dossan, with Ken Recker of the M.E.R.S. held a closed door session to discuss Union negotiations. The Board continued the closed door session until 2:00 p.m. Upon opening the doors, the Board authorized the funding of an actuarial study of our retirement system at a cost of \$210.00.

Engineer Ron Herne discussed with the Board the building addition. Bids will be advertised with opening scheduled for June 1st, 1979. The Board decided to eliminate the parking lot and grading portion from the bid.

The Board also discussed with Mr. Herne the progress of the 1979 Bridge program.

A request was received from the School to borrow the rubber tired roller to shape the track at the football field. The request was approved.

The following permits requested by Consumers Power Company were approved by the Board:

To bury electric lines across Easter Drive, East Branch Estates, Grayling Township

To bury electric lines along Marber Drive, Holiday Heights No. 2, Beaver Creek Township and Crestwood Drive, Grayling Mobile Estates, Grayling Township.

The Board authorized a Voucher in the amount of \$150.00 for the purchase of three tape recorders to be used by the foremen.

As there was no further business, a motion was made by Grover Cason, supported by Gloria Kraus to adjourn. All voted in favor, motion carried.

Ervin E. Richter, Chairman
Lorna Bernard, Secretary

HOUSE BID WANTED

Crawford AuSable School District will accept
bids on the building trades house until 4:00 P.M. May
21st, 1979. Sealed bids, clearly marked "HOUSE
BID" should be returned to Crawford AuSable
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Sealed bids will be received by the Crawford County Road Commission at their office at 320 State St., Grayling, Michigan 49738, until 10:00 A.M., Friday, May 25, 1979 for the following:

Gravel-22A at various locations in Crawford County.

Specifications and bid forms may be obtained at the above office. All bids must be on forms furnished by the County, and in sealed envelopes plainly marked as to contents.

The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids or any part of same, and to make the award in part or entirely as may appear to be in the best interest of the Crawford County Road Commission.

Board of Crawford County Road Commissioners, E. Richter, Chairman; G. Cason, G. Kraus.

To be published in the Crawford County Avalanche May 10 and 17, 1979.

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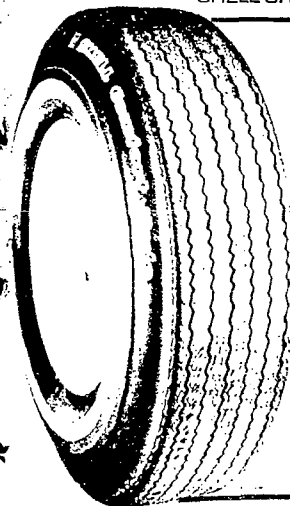
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"Jacks of all Trades" New Business Opens In Grayling



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GRAYLING

by Joe Schrader

"We'll do just about anything", Walt Isenhauer and Tom Broome said about their new service available in the Crawford County area. In operation since mid-April, the business, called Isenhauer & Broome Painting and Cottage Service, pledges itself to be "Jack of all

Trades." In a recent interview, the pair said their services would include such things as residential & Commercial interior and exterior painting, yard work of all kinds, cottage service for downstate residents, winter snowplowing, and just about anything else someone might need done.

Walt's father, Leo, had a similar business years ago, serving who owned homes or cottages requiring service work in the Lake Margrethe area.

The firm's business address is Rte. 5, Box 5060 on North Milliken Rd. and contact phone numbers include 348-8246 or 348-7254.

"Free Enterprise Will Prevail"

Chamber of Commerce Retail Division Meets

by Joe Schrader

The Retail Division of the Chamber of Commerce met in early-morning session last Friday morning and got a lesson about the advantages of the free-enterprise system. The 8:00 a.m. breakfast session was opened by Ernie Dawson, who introduced committee members and breakfast guest, Mr. Ralph Ostling, State Representative for the Grayling area. Chamber of Commerce Executive Director Walt Nowak welcomed all in attendance and then introduced Mr. Larry Andrick, a member of the Mich. Merchant's Council, main speaker for the breakfast event.

The main topic of Andrick's message was the

preservation of the free enterprise system. "Retailers should abandon their competitive spirit occasionally and stand up together harmoniously for what's good for America", he said.

His message referred often to the adage of "hard work" being the backbone of the free enterprise system and he termed the current work by the legislative system in Michigan as being a good example of "free enterprise in action."

"We need a productive, positive building thought in America," he said, "retailers should work in harmony to see that our free enterprise system is maintained."

In a later question & answer session, Andrick indicated that a coalition had been formed and is pushing hard now for a complete reform of the Worker's Compensation Program. He blamed the administrative system for the problems created by abuses that have resulted in soaring costs to business & industry in the state.

Answering a related question, Andrick indicated that he hoped the state would consider the problems with unemployment compensation, another concern to retailers, could be handled by the

State on a separate basis. "We can avoid a trade-off that way," he concluded.

State Representative Ralph Ostling commented on both issues and pointed out that the State Chamber of Commerce has been hard at work on both of the reform issues.

Andrick concluded his presentation with the following comment: "If the Free enterprise System dies, the epitaph on the tombstone will be The Greatest Story Never Told."

Editor's Mailbox

To The Editor of Avalanche.

Dear Sir:

Maybe you will publish this and maybe you won't. Our dump is one hell of a mess in South Branch Twp. on McMasters Bridge Road.

While Geo Rybicki was our Township Supervisor the dump was kept neat & clean.

Numerous complaints have been made to the present Supervisor.

No action—why not?

Yours truly,
Charlie Burgess

Foil Cancer
Lung cancer is killing more and more American men and women. Give to the American Cancer Society and help to set up Quit Smoking Clinics.

RLDS Church

The Grayling branch of the RLDS Church were hosts to a district mother and daughter banquet for 150 guests on May 4, 1979. The district takes in the entire northern part of lower Michigan and guests were from East Jordan, Alpena, Lachine, Onaway, Gaylord, Cheboygan, Bellaire, Boyne City, Frederic and Grayling.

The meal, which was buffet style dinner, was prepared by the Grayling women. The men of the church served the beverages and dessert. After the dinner, the mothers and daughters retired upstairs to the sanctuary for a program put on by the Onaway women. The play portrayed the life of Emma Smith and was very impressive. While the women were enjoying the program, the men washed dishes and cleaned up the dining room.

The Sanctuary, in which the women held their program, has just recently been completed. The church has been in the process of being built since they first broke ground in 1971. They put up the shell of the building at that time. The members then proceeded to do all the work themselves, finishing only the basement and moving their church services there from Plum Street in August, 1972. Continuing to work on finishing the sanctuary upstairs, they were able to hold their Christmas program there on December 17, 1978. In March, 1979, they held the World Day of Prayer in the new sanctuary and by Easter they had their pews paid for and installed. They are very pleased to have reached this goal.

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Sweet Adelines Activities

The Mid-Mitten Chapter met Wednesday, May 9th, at the Houghton Lake High School Auditorium. Sue worked with the chorus on the choreography for our show numbers. The evening was spent in very hard rehearsing.

Things are moving on our coming show. The money is in for our advertising and the programs can now be printed. At this time we want to thank all the businessmen in our singing area for purchasing advertisement in our show program. We know you are hit from all directions to contribute for this and that and it gets to the point when you want to say "no more." The only time we ask for help and backing is for our shows. Here is where we try and make operation money...we are a non-profit organization. Our biggest aim is to give pleasure with our harmony. It is with pride we acknowledge so many willing to help us keep our chapter going. As our song says... "Thank you very much."

The Roscommon, Houghton Lake, and Grayling Music Departments are taking applicants from students to apply for our annual Music Scholarships. We hope to give you the winners names in the near future.

Our Installation night has been set for Thursday, May 17th, to be held at the Gerrish Twp. Municipal Building. A salad smorgasbord is planned.

Editor's Mailbox

C.C.P.T.
P.O. Box 166
Grayling, Mi. 49738
May 10, 1979

The Editor
Crawford Avalanche
Grayling, Mi. 49738

Dear Whitey,
In answer to Mr. Laurie's letter that appeared in the May 10, 1979 edition of the Avalanche, I would like to make just a few comments.

Number one. I must agree with his comments on Inflation and Taxation. If Bill has a workable solution to the problem, I am sure President Carter would be happy to listen to it. One of the things we do have is the right to vote, which should decide your own personal opinion and definitely has a reflection on the outcome as shown in the past Elections.

Number two. In regard to the millage vote of April 30, 1979 for Dial-a-Ride, as to the 2 to 1 passage. Everyone should realize by now that the population area's determine and control almost everything in this country, sad but true.

With the passage of the millage effective in 1980, realizing the increasing demand in other low density townships, we will be able to give proper service to all. Like any business, it takes time and money to grow.

Dial-A-Ride has grown faster than money could keep up to. Our 3 Bus Fleet service will be increased to 5 by 1980, which will allow the County expansion needed.

However I would like to emphasize to Mr. Laurie that I have done everything humanly possible to give daily service to all. A telephone call to 348-5409 is one of the necessary functions of the present service though.

In the future, we will have published fixed route times, but will still require an appointment call to let us know where the pickups are to be made.

Sincerely,
Chet Johnston, Mgr.

German Delight

German "Hutzelbrot" is a richly fruited sweet yeast bread which is spiced with a rich assortment of dried fruit, walnuts and candied orange peel.

Grayling Township Board

Regular Meeting
May 8, 1979

Members present: Bernard Fowler, Elizabeth Wieland, Evelyn Gardiner

Members absent: Marvin Hallett, Floyd Millikin
Others present: Barbara Sojka, Geoff Stancil, Dan Niederer, Renee Campeau, Dena Campbell, Cal Brenner, Mary Harland

Meeting was called to order at 7:30 p.m. Motion by Gardiner, supported by Wieland, the minutes of the regular meeting of 4-10-79 and the special meeting of 5-5-79 be approved as written. All Ayes.

Treasurer's report was given. Motion by Wieland, supported by Gardiner, it be accepted. All Ayes.

1. Notice of a Public Hearing scheduled by the Public Service Commission for Top O Michigan Rural Electric Company to consider authorization to reflect charges or credits for changes in purchased power from the base cost was received.

2. Notice of a Public Hearing scheduled for Consumers Power Company by the Public Service Commission relative to authorization to reflect charges or credits for changes in purchased power cost from the base cost was received.

3. Correspondence was received from Northeast Michigan Council of Governments relative to a meeting being held 5-9-79 in Gaylord by the Department of Natural Resources to discuss problems with toxic, hazardous, and solid waste management control.

4. A copy of the Resolution adopted by the Crawford County Commissioners on 4-25-79 opposing the "Wetlands Bill" was received & reviewed. Motion by Gardiner, supported by Wieland, to concur with the resolution and support the County Commissioners in their decision to oppose the Wetlands Bill. All Ayes. (Hallett and Millikin-absent)

5. Notification of a Governmental Bookkeeping course being offered at Kirtland Community College was received.

6. The General Telephone Newsletter was received, highlighting their upcoming construction plans.

7. Notice was received from Willard Bosserman, AuSable River Watershed Study Council of a meeting scheduled for 4-15-79 to decide the future fate of the Council.

8. Correspondence from United States Senator Donald Reigle was received relative to a training seminar scheduled in Gaylord on 5-23-79 relative to strategies which smaller communities can use to seek federal funding.

9. Notice was received from the Department of Natural Resources relative to a request filed by the city of Grayling to acquire a 25 acre parcel of State land located in the W 1/2 of the NE 1/4 of Sec. 17, T 26 N, R 3W, for expansion of their Industrial Park. A resolution on proposed annexation adopted by the City Council on 4-9-79 includes this parcel of land and as questionnaires submitted to property owners involved indicate their opposition to such annexation, Wieland moved that if disposition of said land is being considered by the State it be placed on the open market through the bid process so all interested parties be given the opportunity to purchase as it is located in a commercial zone and would be of benefit to the township to be developed by private enterprise. Motion supported by Gardiner. All Ayes. (Millikin & Hallett-absent)

10. Fowler informed the Board that he was working with the Soil Conservation District on a reforestation and wildlife habitat project for the old dump site so it could be turned back to the State. Meeting recessed at 8:00 p.m. to go into a Public Hearing.

Public Hearing

The hearing was opened at 8:00 p.m. for the purpose of receiving comments on an application filed for an Industrial Facilities Exemption Certificate filed by Carlisle Paddles, Inc.

Industrial Development District No. 2 in which Carlisle Paddles, Inc. is located, was created on December 12, 1978, pursuant to Act No. 198 of the Public Acts of 1974. Each taxing unit involved was notified by certified mail of the hearing.

No objections have been filed.

Public Hearing was closed at 8:08 p.m.

Regular meeting resumed at 8:08 p.m.

11. The following Resolution approving an application for Industrial Facilities Exemption Certificate pursuant to Act 198, of Public Acts 1974 filed by Carlisle Paddles, Inc. was offered:

RESOLUTION

Approving an Application
For Industrial Facilities Exemption Certificate
Pursuant to Act 198, P.A. 1974

WHEREAS, PURSUANT TO Act No. 198 of the public Acts of 1974; this Board has the authority to establish "industrial development district" within the boundaries of the Township of Grayling; and WHEREAS, this Board on December 12, 1978, established by resolution an industrial development district designated as "Township of Grayling Industrial Development District No. 2"; and

WHEREAS, Carlisle Paddles, Inc. has filed an application for an industrial facilities exemption certificate relative to property situated within Township of Grayling Industrial Development District No. 2; and

WHEREAS, on May 8, 1979, a public hearing was held at which time the affected taxing authorities, the assessor and the applicant, having been duly informed of said hearing, were afforded an opportunity to be heard; and

WHEREAS, this Board finds that the granting of the industrial facilities exemption certificate, considered together with the aggregate, amount of industrial facilities exemption certificates previously granted and currently in force, shall not have the effect of substantially impairing the operation of the Township of Grayling or impairing the financial soundness of any affected taxing unit; and

WHEREAS, this Board finds that Carlisle Paddles, Inc. has complied with all requirements of Act No. 198 of the Public Acts of 1974; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the application of Carlisle Paddles, Inc. for an industrial facilities exemption certificate, pursuant to Act No. 198 of the Public Acts of 1974, relative to property situated within Township of Grayling Industrial Development District No. 2 be and the same is hereby approved.

Motion by Wieland, supported by Gardiner, the resolution be adopted as presented. Roll Call: Gardiner-aye, Wieland-aye, Fowler-aye. (Millikin and Hallett-absent)

12. The Planning Commission report indicated Professor Robert Hotelling, Michigan State University Planning Consultant, is scheduled to meet with the Planning Commission the last part of June to review the proposed amendments before hearings are set.

13. Fowler gave a brief report of the automated master appraisal system used in the City of Mt. Pleasant. The cost of going to this system appears to be too high to justify at this time. Alternatives of increased computer service will be pursued.

14. Correspondence from the Department of the Army, Corps of Engineers, was received requesting copies of local restrictions and ordinances in effect regulating activities on rivers, lakes, and streams determined to be navigable waters.

15. Notice was received from the Michigan Assessor's Association of the appointment of Gerald Ernst, City of Grand Rapids, to the Executive Board of the Assessors Association. The Michigan Township Association continues to obtain township representation in this organization.

16. A brief report on the Crawford County Road Commission's road signing program was given. A cost estimate of \$30.00 minimum per sign was obtained. Federal funding for road signing programs is being pursued. The Road Commission will be conducting a hearing to name a public road off North Down River Road.

17. Fowler reported he had met with Michigan Townships Association legal counsel relative to the proposed annexation. A formal report will be presented at a later date.

18. A request for salary review was received from Earl R. Seaberg Jr. Fowler will do a study of job description and responsibilities for Board consideration.

19. The Federal Revenue Sharing Fund was discussed. Motion by Wieland, supported by Gardiner, to transfer \$4,405.00 of the Federal Revenue Sharing Funds to the General Fund for fire Department operational expenditures incurred. Roll Call: Gardiner-aye, Wieland-aye, Fowler-aye. (Millikin and Hallett-absent)

20. The Liquor Fund revenue was discussed. A review of eligible costs will be made and an agreement with the Sheriff Department for additional liquor law enforcement will be offered for a possible transfer of funds to the Sheriff Department.

21. The Airport operation was discussed. Fowler reported an airport painting project and entrance road project are being drafted so application for matching funds can be filed. Low interest loans through the Department of Aeronautics for local share may be available.

Motion by Gardiner, supported by Wieland, to approve vouchers .3435 through 3469 in the amount of \$3971.16 as presented. Roll Call: All Ayes. Millikin and Hallett absent. Motion by Gardiner, supported by Wieland, meeting be adjourned. (9:00 p.m.) All Ayes.

Elizabeth H. Wieland
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Financial

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of your appropriations to other agencies.

-Review the budget reduction with various department heads and elected officials.

-Delay consideration of any additional fund requests for the next 30 days.

-Continual monitoring of county expenses by the Commission.

Wakeley pointed out that after reviewing the expenditures of the first four months of 1979, it appears the county will face a large deficit by the end of the year. In fact, he concluded in his presentation, the General Fund of the county may "run out of money during the month of October."

AQUARIUM AT CO-OP NURSERY—The children of the Grayling Cooperative Nursery School have been busy going on field trips now that the weather is nice. Their next field trip is to the Post Office and planning the end of the year picnic.

One of our fathers, Robert Gingerich sat up an aquarium for the children which they all enjoy. Jacalyn K. Parker, Publicity Chairman

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 terest to present to the membership are cordially invited.

As is customary, general membership meetings of the 11-year-old association are held on Saturday mornings on each of the major warm-weather holiday weekends: Memorial Day, Fourth of July and Labor Day. The annual election meeting this year will be held Saturday, June 30.

Three directors of the total board of nine are elected annually for three-year terms. Officers are chosen by the directors for one-year terms. James M. Rifkin, Detroit attorney, is currently completing his second term as president.

CARD OF THANKS

We would like to thank Dr. Downs, the Emergency Room staff and the ambulance crew for their excellent care, the Masonic Lodge and Pastor Weber for their comforting words, Sorenson Funeral Home, the Law Enforcement Agencies, our relatives and friends for their many acts of sympathy and Wert's Lone Pine Inn for the luncheon.

The Bill Golnick Family

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the Sisters, Doctors, Nurses of Grayling Mercy Hospital and all who made Earl Bryan's confinement in the hospital a little brighter. To all our neighbors, friends and relatives for their cards, gifts and visits. Elda Larke and Family

11 Crawford County Avalanche Thursday, May 17, 1979

Lovells Township Notice

The Lovells Township Rural Zoning Commission will hold a regular meeting on Thursday, May 24, 1979 at 7:00 P. M. in the Lovells Township Hall.

Helen M. Spencer
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A special thanks to the Road Commission for the use of their building.

Curried Mushrooms
Here's a quick kitchen tip: Sauté one pound sliced fresh mushrooms and three-quarters cup of minced onion in six tablespoons of butter for five minutes. Add one clove crushed garlic and one and one-half teaspoons of curry powder. Cook two minutes longer, then add one-third cup of beef broth and one-quarter teaspoon of salt. Serve over noodles, rice or mashed potatoes.

Legal Notice

STATE OF MICHIGAN
In the Probate Court for
The County of Crawford
Estate of Cecil K. Downard,
Deceased

NOTICE OF HEARING
TAKE NOTICE: On the 18th day of July, 1979, at 2:00 P.M. in the Probate Courtroom, Crawford County Courthouse, Grayling, Michigan, before the Honorable Judge Emil L. Kraus, Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held on the petition of Florence M. Downard. Administration was granted to Nelson A. Miles.

Creditors of the deceased are notified that all claims against the estate must be presented to the said Administrator, Nelson A. Miles, at P.O. Box 303, Grayling, Michigan 49738, and proof thereof, with copies of the claims, filed with the Court on or before the 18th day of July, 1979.

Notice is further given that a determination of the legal heirs of said deceased will be made on said date at 2:00 P.M. Notice is further given that the Estate will be thereafter assigned to the persons appearing of record entitled thereto.

Dated: May 11, 1979
Attorney for the Estate of Cecil K. Downard, Deceased
Nelson A. Miles
P.O. Box 303
Grayling, Michigan 49738
Telephone: (517) 348-9022

Legal Notice

STATE OF MICHIGAN
In the Probate Court for
The County of Crawford
Estate of Elmer E. Neal,
Deceased

NOTICE OF HEARING
TAKE NOTICE: On the 18th day of July, 1979, at 11:00 A.M. in the Probate Courtroom, Crawford County Courthouse, Grayling, Michigan, before the Honorable Judge Emil L. Kraus, Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held on the petition of Frances R. Neal for probate of a purported will dated April 9, 1975, and for the granting of administration to the National Bank and Trust Company of Traverse City, Michigan, the Executor named in said will.

Creditors of deceased are notified that all claims against the Estate must be presented to Nelson A. Miles, Attorney for the Executor at P.O. Box 303, Grayling, Michigan 49738, and proof thereof, with copies of the claims, filed with the Court on or before the 18th day of July, 1979.

Notice is further given that a determination of the legal heirs of said deceased will be made on said date at 11:00 A.M. Notice further given that the Estate will be thereafter assigned to the persons appearing of record entitled thereto.

Dated: May 11, 1979
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Legal Notice

STATE OF MICHIGAN
In the Probate Court for
The County of Crawford
Estate of Earl M. Bryan,
Deceased

NOTICE OF HEARING
TAKE NOTICE: On the 18th day of July, 1979, at 10:00 A.M. in the Probate Courtroom, Crawford County Courthouse, Grayling, Michigan, before the Honorable Judge Emil L. Kraus, Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held on the petition of Jack W. Hagerman for probate of a purported will dated January 3, 1975 and for the granting of administration to Jack W. Hagerman, the Executor named in said Will.

Creditors of deceased are notified that all claims against the Estate must be presented to Jack W. Hagerman, P.O. Box 684, Grayling, Michigan 49738, and proof thereof, with copies of the claims, filed with the Court on or before the 18th day of July, 1979.

Notice is further given that a determination of the legal heirs of said deceased will be made on said date at 10:00 A.M. Notice is further given that the Estate will be thereafter assigned to the persons appearing of record entitled thereto.

Dated: May 11, 1979
Attorney for the Estate of Earl M. Bryan, Deceased
Nelson A. Miles
P.O. Box 303
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Legal Notice

STATE OF MICHIGAN

In the District Court for
The County of Crawford
Harold M. Guedry, Plaintiff,
VS
Louis E. Flood and
Michelle R. Flood, Defendants.

File No. 17-24-31-005

ORDER
Petitioners motion for an order allowing service of process by publication upon defendants, Louis E. Flood and Michelle R. Flood having been heard, and an affidavit filed in support of said motion having been considered,

the court finds that service of process by publication provided for under DCR 106 is necessary as the whereabouts of the defendant(s) and their residence (s) unknown; that the defendant(s) probably reside(s) outside of the state; and that a summons and complaint has been returned showing that service of process cannot be made in the country where the defendant(s) previously resided.

NOW THEREFORE, the defendant(s) Louis E. Flood and Michelle R. Flood, are hereby notified that a civil action has been commenced against defendants for forfeiture of a certain land contract Dated May 13, 1977 between the parties hereto for the following described property, to wit:

Parcel "L": The South 1/2 of the South 1/2 of the North 1/2 of the North 1/2 of the Southeast 1/4 of Section 21, Town 28 North, Range 3 West, containing 10.03 acres, Township of Maple Forest, Crawford County, Michigan.

And that, if you desire to defend same, you are required to answer or take such other action as may be permitted by law with regard to the complaint filed against you, in the District Court for the County of Crawford on or before June 12, 1979 at 3:00 o'clock in the afternoon, if you fail to do so, judgment by default will be taken against you for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Dated: May 8, 1979
Honorable Francis L. Walsh
District Judge
I, hereby, certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original thereof on file in this office. 83rd District Court by, Deputy Clerk Carol Conklin

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Editor's Quote Book

Blessed is the man that has found his work. One monster there is in the world, the idle man.
Thomas Carlyle

Legal Notice

STATE OF MICHIGAN
In the Circuit Court for
The County of Crawford
Warbler's Hideaway Association,
a Michigan non-profit corporation
Plaintiff,
vs.
Troy H. Spann, et al,
Defendants.

File No. 79004129 CH
ORDER TO ANSWER
At a session of said Court, held in the Crawford County Building, Grayling, Michigan, this 7th day of May, A.D. 1979.

PRESENT: William A. Porter, Circuit Judge.
On February 16, 1979, an action was filed by the Warbler's Hideaway Association, Plaintiff, against Jack Omans, Jr., Jean Omans, Michael A. Bukowski, Judy A. Bukowski, Frederick R. Caster, William Ware, Lawrence A. Simon, Karen Kathleen Simon, Wayne W. Karner and Sandra J. Karner, among others, in this Court to foreclose certain assessment liens filed against said Defendants' properties as follows:

August 30, 1976 Liber 154, pages 393-399.
April 17, 1978 Liber 168, pages 6 through 9.
December 7, 1978 Liber 174, pages 331 through 335.
December 14, 1978 Liber 174, pages 415 & 416.
February 7, 1979 Liber 174, pages 425 & 426.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Defendants Jack Omans, Jr., Jean Omans, Michael A. Bukowski, Judy A. Bukowski, Frederick R. Caster, William Ware, Lawrence A. Simon, Karen Kathleen Simon, Wayne W. Karner and Sandra J. Karner shall answer or take such other action as may be permitted by law on or before July 5, 1979. Failure to comply with this Order will result in a decree of foreclosure by default against said Defendants for the relief demanded in this Court, which relief will include sale of Defendants' lots at Sheriff's sale for past due assessments, costs and attorney's fees.

William A. Porter,
Circuit Judge

Warner, Hart, Morgan, Fuzak & Williams
By: Ronald G. Morgan
Attorneys for Plaintiff
6810 S. Cedar, Suite 15
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Legal Notice

NOTICE OF
MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain Mortgage made by Jim Mueller Chevrolet, Inc., a Michigan Corporation, to Clifford N. Roberts and Marian D. Roberts, husband and wife dated April 25, 1975, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Crawford and State of Michigan on April 25, 1975, in Liber 144 of Mortgages, on pages 309-311, Crawford County Records, on which Mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice, for principal and interest, the sum of Thirty-Six Thousand Five Hundred Ninety-Five and 82/100 Dollars, and no proceedings having been instituted to recover the debt now remaining secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof, whereby the power of sale contained in said Mortgage has become operative;

Now Therefore, Notice Hereby Given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises therein described or so much thereof as may be necessary, at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the front door of the Courthouse in the City of Grayling, and County of Crawford, Michigan, that being the place of holding the Circuit Court in and for said County, on June 8, 1979, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, and said premises will be sold to pay the amount so as aforesaid then due on said Mortgage together with seven (7%) percent interest, legal costs, Attorneys' fees and also any taxes and insurance that said Mortgagee does pay on or prior to the date of sale; which said premises are described in said Mortgage as follows, to-wit: Situated in the Township of South Branch, County of Crawford, State of Michigan, viz: lots Numbered 3, 4, and 5, AuSable Valley Subdivision, according to the recorded plat thereof.

The period of redemption will be one (1) year from date of sale.
Dated: March 28, 1979
Clifford N. Roberts &
Marian D. Roberts,
Mortgagees Husband & Wife.

James R. Deamud
Attorney for mortgagees
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Timberview Village Plans 2nd Annual Croquet Tourney

Barbara Salesky, Administrator of Crawford County's Timberview Village State-Wide Care Home, announced today that the facility's Second Annual Croquet Tournament will be held on Thursday, June 7th at the Frederic Park. The event, called Adult Foster Care Client Appreciation Day is a big event for the providers and clients in the adult foster care field, as

well as for the people of the community. Foster care residents state-wide have been invited to participate. The tournament and associated events guarantee Fun For All-Trophies-Door Prizes-Food-Entertainment.

Time is set for the start of the croquet tournament for 1:00 p.m. sharp. Tournament fee has been set for \$6.00 including banquet and \$4.00 for banquet ticket only.

Overnight lodging will be provided free to advance reservations over 150 miles. Guest speakers will include Clarence Faber, President of State-Wide Care Home Assn. and Robert Stein, Associate Director.

W.O.T.M. News

Our meeting on May 7th was called to order by our Senior Regent Frances Barclay. We had a nice turnout-keep it up girls.

Our nominations for our new elected officers were closed and Greta Moore, our Academy of Friendship Chairman presented Judith Eberts her ring on a corsage. Greta also had a nice party in the basement with cake and jello and the men and women playing gift bingo.

The next meeting will be the 21st of May at 8:00. Don't forget girls the election will be from 7 p.m. through 8 p.m. before the meeting.

To make the night a little more enjoyable we are having a fun night with both men and women starting at 6:00 in the basement. It will be Pot Luck Supper and the Governor Ron Eberts and Secretary Art Stephenson are going to show home movies that were taken in Mooseheart on their vacation last September.

See everyone Monday the 21st at 6:00.

Publicity Chairman, Cathay Canfield

Calendar of Events

Fridays: Moose Fish Fry 5 to 9 p.m. (all you can eat). Members and guests.

Sat., May 19: Armed Forces Day Party, 8 p.m., American Legion Post 106-Members \$3-Guests \$5.

Fri., May 25: Senior Citizens Dinner-Dance, St. Mary's Family Center, social hour 5:30-dinner 6:30, \$7.50 per person, for reservations call 348-9314.

Sat., May 26: The Cheerful Givers Club Rummage Sale, Town Hall.

Sat., May 26: St. Francis Episcopal Church Annual Benefit Auction, 12 Noon.

Nine Thinclads Score In Pine River Invitational

by Joe Schrader

The Grayling Girl's track team traveled to Pine River on Saturday, May 5th, and despite the fact the girls ran well, Coach Marilee Cheney said that a powerhouse Mason County Central team ran off with top honors. The Vikings made a strong showing by placing in nine of the fifteen events. Scoring points for the Viking squad were Jill Headlee, Sherri Reed, Shelly Peterson, Lisa Radebaugh, Jean Stevens and Maribeth Good.

The girls took a second place in the 440-yard relay, a 3rd in the long jump, 880-yd relay and mile relay, a 4th in the 440 and 110-yd hurdles and fifth in the 220-yd. 220-yd hurdles and shot put.

Bits O'Talk

by Fay Bovee

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Joseph attended the University of Michigan graduation ceremony on April 28 at which time Richard Joseph received his bachelor's degree in General Studies. Following graduation, they were entertained at a graduation lunch at the home of Dick's cousin, Nancy Rosenberg, in Ann Arbor. Dick has returned to Grayling and is employed at the Grayling Mercantile.

Sheri Linendoll, 14-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Linendoll was confirmed at Mt. Hope Lutheran Church on Sunday, May 13, 1979, by Rev. Paul Weber. Following the confirmation, she was guest of honor at a family open house and buffet lunch at the home of her aunt and uncle, Jim and Joyce Kolka. The table was centered with a pastel flower arrangement. The forty guests were friends and relatives from Grayling and John's aunt, Ione Hazard, and cousins, Dr. and Mrs. Jehle, from Gaylord, Russ and Sue Ballinger from Livonia, Julie Laurent from Traverse City and Ben Webster from Carson City.

The people at Lake Margrethe have been treated to a beautiful display of spring flowers at the home of Mrs. Roy McEvers. We understand that she has worked very hard to keep and add to the garden started some years ago.

It is with a little nostalgia that we view the new vacant corner where the old Black and White stood, more recently occupied by Gust's Parts Place. The building once housed Minnie Hartley's grocery store for many years and if my historians are correct, also the A & P store many, many years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. John Linendoll, Mitch and Sheri, have moved into their "new" old home on the corner of Peninsular and Ottawa Streets. They have spent many hours remodeling with the help of their many friends and we're sure that it will be a lovely home when it's completed. Again memory tells me that it was called the McCullough house. Is that correct, historians?

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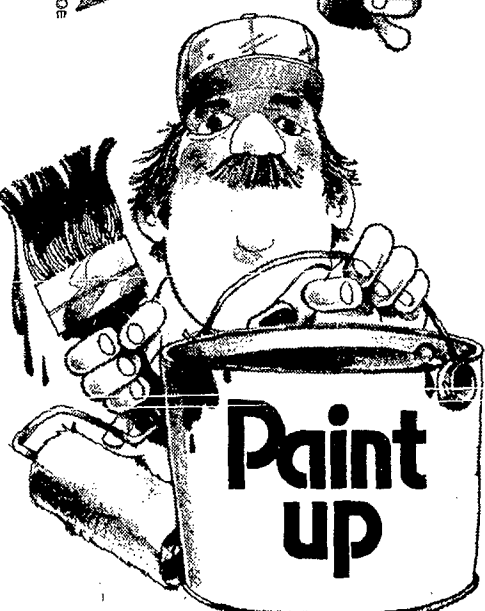
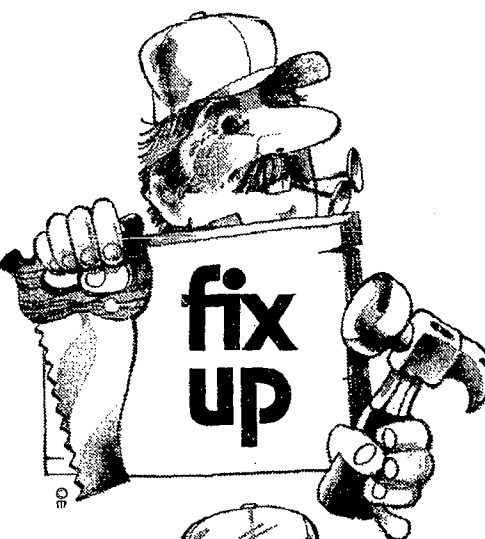
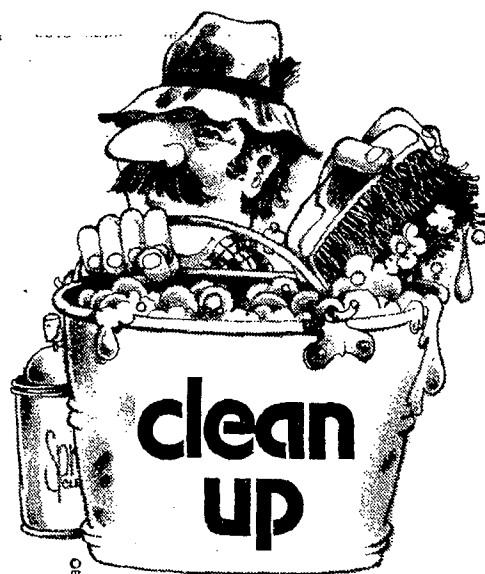
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Douglas Trio at Calvary Baptist

The people of Calvary Baptist Church are pleased to publicly announce the return of the popular Dave Douglas Trio to present a concert of religious music Sunday, May 20th at 10:30 A.M. at the church located 1 1/2 miles west of Grayling on M-72.

The trio is happy to announce that their third album is ready, and interested persons may pick up records or tapes of any of their albums at the concert.

As usual, there will be no charge for attendance. An offering will be taken, but giving is on a voluntary basis.

If you enjoy good religious songs and quality music, you will not want to miss this opportunity. The entire community is invited and encouraged to attend.

Mercy Hospital

The following were among those admitted to Mercy Hospital during the past week: Eleanor Giffin, Rebecca Stockhaus, Evelyn Sorenson, Angela Myers and Jesse Bennett, Sr. all of Grayling; Charles Collini, Dustin DeWitt, Kristen Ames and Ines McCoy all of Roscommon.

Those discharged were: Baby, boy Nowlin of Grayling; Mildred Bliven, Dustin DeWitt, John Leodier and Norman Skagerberg all of Roscommon.

Frederick and Marjorie Johnson of Lewiston announce the arrival of a baby girl, Sarah Marie, born May 10, 1979 weighing 8 lbs. 2 1/2 ozs. Richard and Cindy Piehl of Gaylord are the proud parents of a baby boy, Christopher Alan, born May 12, 1979 and weighing 8 lbs. 14 1/2 ozs.

Benedict and Renee Kozlowski gave birth to a baby girl Jessica Rose, on May 8, 1979 weighing 7 lbs. 6 1/2 ozs.

Summer Bowling

Attention: The Wednesday Night Summer Mixed Bowling League will meet on Wednesday May 23, 1979 at 7:00 p.m. If you want to bowl be there. There will be a business meeting before bowling starts for old members and new members.

Bonnie Donnelly Secretary

Bike-A-Thon For CF Held

This years Crawford County Cystic Fibrosis Bike-A-Thon was held at Camp Grayling under the direction of chairperson Darla Moore. 33 youngsters rode a total of 709 miles with a total of \$1654.32 being pledged.

Check points around the 1 mile course were named by Whitey Robinson and Alex Donaldson, with Jim and Mickey Sorenson helping where ever they were needed. Lois Lash and Mickey McComb were on hand to serve the Orange juice and hamburgers that was furnished by McDonalds to the youngsters.

This years' top riders were Michele Reynolds and James Burkley, Jr. with 45 miles each, Dick Lee rode 40 miles and Paul Gust 35 miles. Approximately 30 youngsters will receive "I Did It" T-Shirts.

All donations are to be turned in no later than May 26 to Darla Moore at 4522 Orbit Rd., Ph. 348-8525 or 348-9633.

CARD OF THANKS

I would like to express my thanks to all my friends and relatives for their kind sympathy during my stay in Mercy Hospital.

A special thank you to Dr. Rosi, Dr. Dosch and Dr. Burkley and all the staff of Mercy Hospital, especially the nurses and staff of 1st and 2nd floors.

It will always be appreciated. You are wonderful!

Gladys R. Hannah

Public Hearing

Official Notice to the Citizens of the County of Crawford of Public Hearing to Consider Approval of a Project Plan as Submitted To the Board of Commissioners of the County of Crawford By the Economic Development Corporation of The County of Crawford For L.P. Plastics, Inc. Project.

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that pursuant to Act 338 of the Public Acts of Michigan of 1974, as amended, The Economic Development Corporation of the County of Crawford has submitted a project plan to the County Board of Commissioners for its approval. The project plan contains information relative to the construction of an industrial plastics facility located on Lot Ten (10) of the Grayling Industrial Park in the City of Grayling and related improvements under the project plan (the "Project"). The Project would be acquired by The Economic Development Corporation of the County of Crawford (the "EDC") with the proceeds of approximately \$1,000,000 of revenue bonds issued by the EDC pursuant to Act 338. The Project would be leased to L.P. Plastics, Inc., a Michigan corporation (which would acquire title to the Project upon payment of the bonds). The revenue bonds will be secured by the Project and will be payable solely and only from the lease or payments received from the lease of the Project. The bonds will not be a general obligation of the City of Grayling or County of Crawford and will not be payable from the general or tax funds of the City or County.

No persons shall be displaced as a result of the implementation of the project plan. The project plan, related maps and drawings and other information concerning the Project and its financing are available for public inspection during regular business hours at the offices of the County Clerk in the Court House.

The County Board of Commissioners will meet at 4:00 o'clock p.m. Wednesday, the 30 day of May, 1979, at the City Hall located at 103 James St., Grayling, Michigan, and will conduct a public hearing on the advisability of approving by resolution the project plan.

The County Board of Commissioners may approve, modify or reject the project plan. THIS NOTICE is given pursuant to the requirements of Section 17 of Act 338, Public Acts of Michigan, 1974, as amended. Further information concerning the matters set out in this notice may be secured from the County Clerk's office.

All interested citizens are encouraged and will be offered an opportunity at said hearing to address the County Board of Commissioners concerning said project plan.

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